(2) how much of it was spent for the purchase of Swadeshi articles?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar:— (1) Rs. 49,978—3—4.

(2) Separate accounts are not maintained in respect of Swadeshi and foreign articles.

Prosecution—non-payment of license fees.

203. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar:— Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) the number of persons who did not pay up the license fees in the Cheruthuruthy constituency area in the Talappalli Taluk under the Cochin Municipal Regulation for coffee clubs, shandies and cart stands on the 10th Medam 1110;

(2) how many were ordered to be prosecuted by the Health Department;

(3) was a complaint actually filed in the Talappalli Magistrate's Court by the Sanitary Inspector Dharmaraja Ayyar against one Manalacalpadath Moidu, proprietor and licensee of the Cheruthuruthy market; if so, the date;

(4) (a) was the charge withdrawn;

(b) if so, when, at whose instance;

(c) was there any requisition or petition from the accused to withdraw the complain against him;

(d) if so, when;

(5) is Mr. Moidu a voter at Cheruthuruthi;

(6) When did the above said Moidu remit fees for the license for the year 1110;

(7) when was the license issued;

(8) was any action taken against the said Moidu for failure of obtaining a license and running market without license for the period?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon— (1)

Coffee clubs	12
Shandies	1
Cartstands	Nil

(2) Twelve.

(3) Yes; on 22—8—1110.

(4) (a) Yes.

(b) The charge was withdrawn on 10—8—10 at the instance of the Sanitary Inspector.

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(c) No.

(d) The question does not arise in view of the answer to sub-division (c)

(5) In the voters' list for the Cheruthuruthy constituency there is a voter by name Moidu, Manakapadath (Koyamu), Nedumpura; but Government have no information whether Mr. Moidu referred to in the question is the same person.

(6) On 21—7—1110.

(7) On 23—10—1110.

(8) Yes.

Police Inspectors—Caste-war statement.

204. Mr. George Parakkal:— Will the Government be pleased to place on the table a caste-war statement of the direct recruitment to the post of the Police Inspectors in the Police Department after the present Police Commissioner has taken charge of that Department?

Mr. P. Nilakanta Menon:— The statement is given below:—

(a)	Brahhmins	2.
(b)	Ezhuvas	1.
(c)	Muslims	1.
(d)	Nayar	1.

Taxation—Coffee clubs, petty hawkers, etc.

205. Mr. E. P. Bhaskara Menon:— Will the Government be pleased to enlighten the House as to:—

(a) the average income of coffee clubs, petty hawkers, pedlars, etc., recently taxed by the Department of Public Health;

(b) the average expenses incurred for running these establishments including interest on capital;

(c) the amount of tax inflicted on each of the above ?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon:— (a) and (b). Government regret that the information asked for cannot be supplied since no statistics are available.

(c) In the case of coffee clubs a license fee at the rate of Re. 1 per annum is levied. For the other two, no answer can be given as they do not refer to any particular trade.

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